

ORDER NO. 4748

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;
Tony Hammond, Vice Chairman;
Mark Acton; and
Nanci E. Langley

Periodic Reporting
(Proposal Two)

Docket No. RM2018-5

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE
TO FILE REPLY COMMENTS

(Issued August 8, 2018)

On August 2, 2018, the Postal Service filed a motion for leave to file reply comments.¹ The Postal Service seeks to respond to concerns expressed by the Public Representative, and one comment of United Parcel Service, Inc. Motion at 1-2. The Postal Service states that granting the motion will give the Commission a more complete discussion of questions raised regarding statistical sampling principles. *Id.*

¹ Motion of the United States Postal Service for Leave to File Reply Comments Regarding Proposal Two, August 2, 2018 (Motion).

The Postal Service states that acceptance of its reply comments² will enhance the Commission's ability to evaluate criticisms of Proposal Two. Motion at 2.

Having considered the Postal Service's request to file reply comments, the Commission finds that consideration of reply comments will assist the Commission in its evaluation of Proposal Two. Accordingly, the Commission grants the Postal Service's Motion. The Commission will consider the Postal Service Reply Comments and the reply comments of any other interested party submitted no later than August 15, 2018.

It is ordered:

1. The Motion of the United States Postal Service for Leave to File Reply Comments Regarding Proposal Two, filed August 2, 2018, is granted.
2. Reply comments from other interested parties are due no later than August 15, 2018.

By the Commission.

Stacy L. Ruble
Secretary

² The Postal Service submitted its proposed reply comments concurrent to filing the Motion. Reply Comments of the United States Postal Service Regarding Proposal Two, August 2, 2018 (Postal Service Reply Comments).